



BRCCS

Battle Ready Contingency Contracting System

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Agenda

- **Phase I - Background - Cobra Gold Exercise**
- **Phase II - Battle Ready Contingency Contracting System (BRCCS)**
- **Phase III and beyond...**
- **BRCCS Demonstration**
 - **Purchase Request Excel Tool for Contingencies (PR ETC)**
 - **PD2 v4.1e**
 - **Enterprise Reporting System (ERS)**



Background

COBRA GOLD is a large U.S. / THAI combined, Joint Air, Land Maritime, Amphibious and Special Operations Exercise conducted annually in Thailand for over 20 years.

In 2001, the Cobra Gold Contingency Contracting Activity, with assistance from ASAALT, demonstrated the capabilities of PD2 in a joint, contingency contracting environment.

During the aftermath of Sep 11, the innovations of this experiment became the foundation (Phase I) for the development of a Battlefield-Ready Contingency Contracting System.



Contracting Statistics

- ❑ **150 Vendors Attended Conference**
- ❑ **450 Solicitations Issued**
- ❑ **130 Solicitations Returned**
- ❑ **11 Different Types of Solicitations Issued:**
 - Food; water & ice; transportation; medical supplies; construction rental; office automation; office furniture; cell phones; fuel; BOM; MHE; miscellaneous
- ❑ **34 Requirements Contracts Awarded**
- ❑ **1,062 Modifications**
- ❑ **216 Purchase Orders**
- ❑ **137 Modifications**
- ❑ **143 MLSRs Processed**
- ❑ **\$1,835,483 Spent**



Cobra Gold Findings

- **PD2 Significantly increased productivity in the Cobra Gold contingency contracting environment by providing the ability to multi-task and multi-process requests, contracts, invoicing and payments.**
- **The CONOPS and lessons learned from Cobra Gold 2001 became the basis for the development of PHASE II of the emerging Battlefield-Ready Contingency Contracting System.**

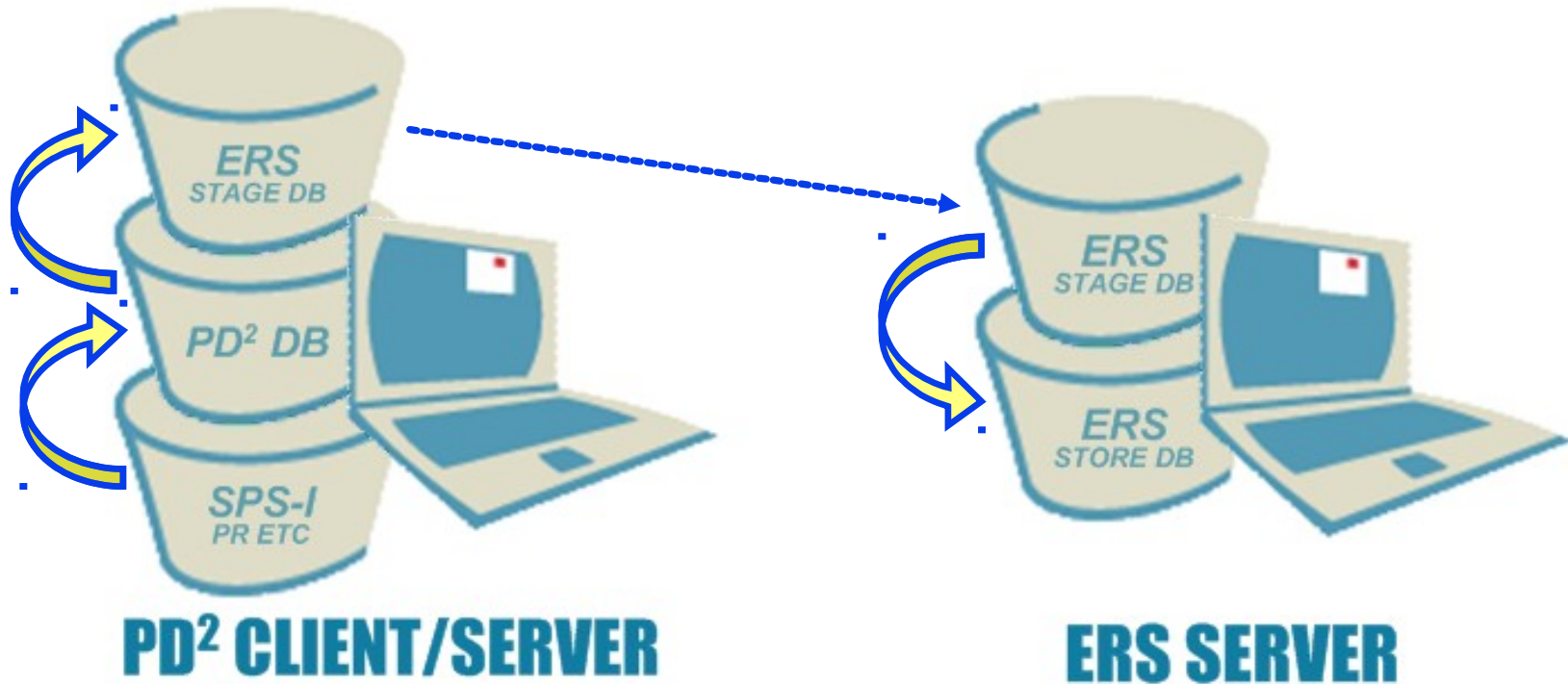


Battle Ready Contingency Contracting System

- **Real world urgency in Middle-East**
- **War Fighters need contingency contracting support**
- **AMS was asked to help - the solution:**
 - **Leverages lessons learned from Cobra Gold**
 - **Provides capability for:**
 - Highly mobile operations
 - Procurement “situation awareness” at higher echelons
 - **Uses deployed software - PD2 v4.1e & ERS v1.1**
 - **Automates a simple PR tool (PR ETC)**



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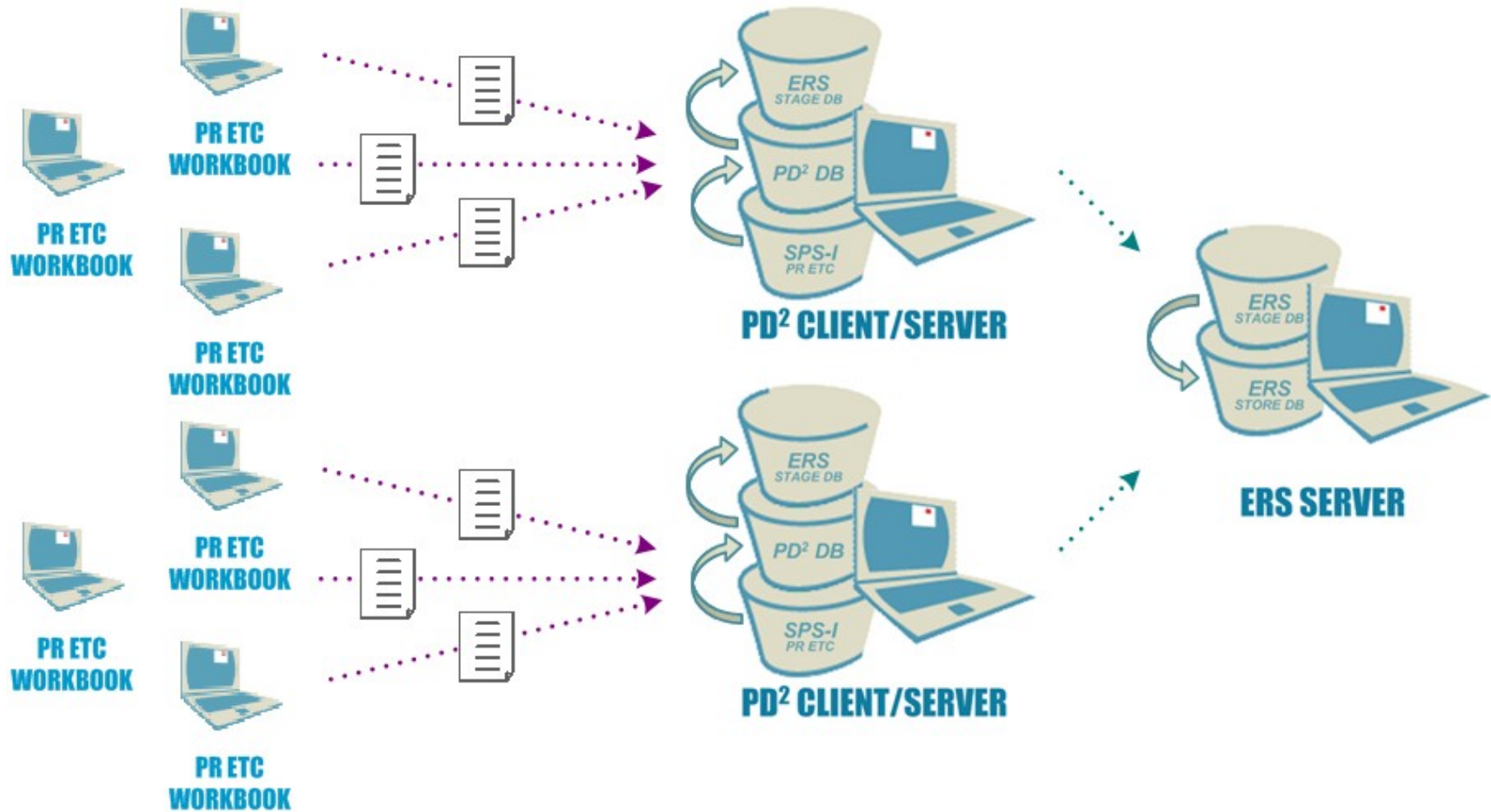


Configuration

- **PD² Client/Server Machine:**
 - **Sybase SQL Server**
 - **PD² Production Database**
 - **PD² Client Software**
 - **PR ETC Integration Database (IDB)**
 - **PR ETC Integration Manager/Agent Software**
 - **ERS Staging Database**
- **ERS Server Machine:**
 - **Sybase SQL Server**
 - **ERS staging database**
 - **ERS store database**

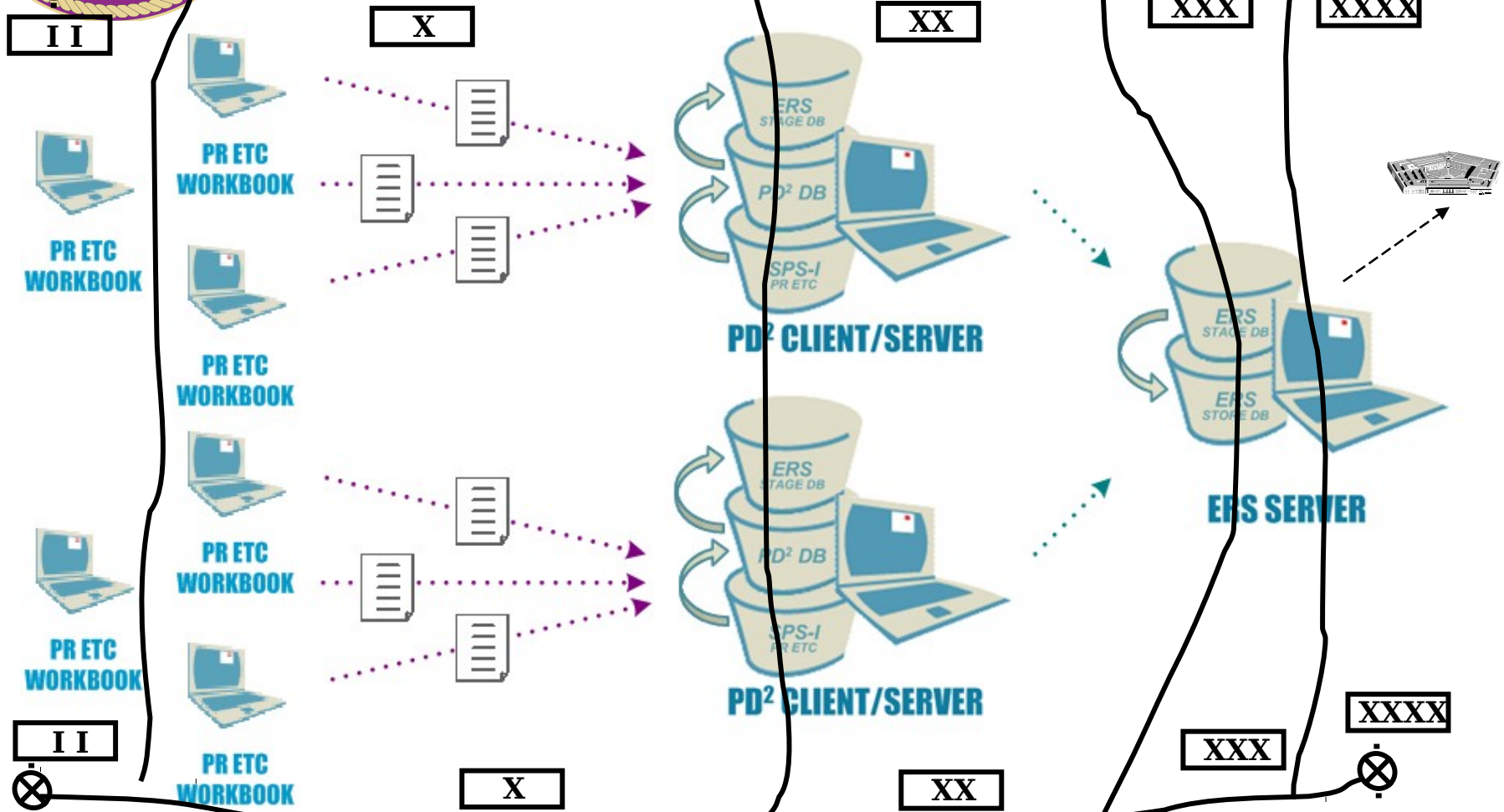


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Provides Situational Awareness Enables Focused Logistics Support





Phase III and beyond...

- **What's next?**
- **Continue the requirements definition process**
 - **Obtain feedback from field use**
 - **Revisit functional requirements**
 - **Redefine technical Requirements**